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LOSSES TO STATE ELECTRICITY BOARDS
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Will the Minister of POWER be pleased to state:

(a) the annual losses being incurred by Andhra Pradesh and Karnataka State Electricity Boards at present;

(b) the present consumption of power in the above States and the percentage of power generated by their own resources;

(c) the names of areas from which remaining supply of power is made; and

(d) the efforts being made by the Governments of Andhra Pradesh and Karnataka toattain self-sufficiency in power generation along with the contribution of the Union Government?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF POWER (SHRIMATI JAYAWANTI MEHTA)

(a) : The commercial losses of the power utilities of Andhra Pradesh and Karnatakaduring the year 2001-2002 (Annual Plan figures) were Rs.2820 crores and Rs.2340 crores respectively.

(b) : The present consumption of power in the States of Andhra Pradesh and Karnatakafor the year 2002-03 and the percentage of power generated from their own resources is as given below :

State All figures in MU)

	Consumption	State`s own generation in consumption	%age of own generation
Andhra Pradesh	44049	35496	81
Karnataka	29084	19920	68

(c) : The remaining energy were made available to Andhra Pradesh and Karnatakafrom their share from central sector generating stations as well as import from other States. Andhra Pradesh imported power on bilateral basis from Orissa and Karnatakafrom Andhra Pradesh and West Bengal in the year 2002-03.

(d) : To meet the power requirement of Andhra Pradesh and Karnataka a capacity addition of 3055.20 MW and 1297 MW respectively have been programmed during Tenth Plan in the State/Private Sectors.

In addition Andhra Pradesh and Karnataka are entitled to their share in the allocation from central generating stations.